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States •	S ¹ ♦	R/A/Su ² ♦	Type ³ ♦	EIF ⁴ ♦	Ext ⁵ \$	Auth ⁶ ♦	Res/D/N 7
Albania		1-XI-2006	А	1-VII-2007		3	
Argentina		2-II-2001	А	1-XII-2001		2	D,Res
Australia		15-III-2010	A	1-XI-2010	7	5	D
Belarus		6-VI-1997	A	1-II-1998		1	
Belgium	21-I-1966	19-XI-1970	R	18-I-1971		2	D
Bosnia and Herzegovina		16-VI-2008	A	1-II-2009		1	
Bulgaria		23-XI-1999	A	1-VIII-2000		3	D
Canada		26-IX-1988	A	1-V-1989		4	D
China, People's Republic of		6-V-1991	A	1-I-1992		8	D,N
Croatia		28-II-2006	A	1-XI-2006		3	Res,D
Cyprus		26-X-1982	A	1-VI-1983		4	D
Czech Republic		28-I-1993	Su	1-I-1993		4	D,Res
Denmark	7-I-1969	2-VIII-1969	R	1-X-1969		3	D
Egypt	1-III-1966	12-XII-1968	R	10-II-1969		1	Res
Estonia		2-II-1996	A	1-X-1996		1	D
Finland	15-XI-1965	11-IX-1969	R	10-XI-1969		2	D
France	12-I-1967	3-VII-1972	R	1-IX-1972	1	3	D
Germany	15-XI-1965	27-IV-1979	R	26-VI-1979		3	D

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Greece	20-VII-1983	20-VII-1983	R	18-IX-1983		1	D
Hungary		13-VII-2004	A	1-IV-2005		3	D
Iceland		10-XI-2008	A	1-VII-2009		1	D,Res
India		23-XI-2006	A	1-VIII-2007		1	D,Res
Ireland	20-X-1989	5-IV-1994	R	4-VI-1994		3	D,Res
Israel	25-XI-1965	14-VIII-1972	R	13-X-1972		2	D,Res
Italy	25-I-1979	25-XI-1981	R	24-I-1982		3	D
Japan	12-III-1970	28-V-1970	R	27-VII-1970		3	D
Korea, Republic of		13-I-2000	A	1-VIII-2000		2	D,Res
Latvia		28-III-1995	A	1-XI-1995		4	D
Lithuania		2-VIII-2000	A	1-VI-2001		1	D,Res
Luxembourg	27-X-1971	9-VII-1975	R	7-IX-1975		1	D,Res
Malta		24-II-2011	A	1-X-2011		1	D
Mexico		2-XI-1999	А	1-VI-2000		2	D
Monaco		1-III-2007	А	1-XI-2007		2	D
Montenegro		16-I-2012	А	1-IX-2012		2	D
Morocco		24-III-2011	A	1-XI-2011		1	
Netherlands	15-XI-1965	3-XI-1975	R	2-I-1976	1	5	D
Norway	15-X-1968	2-VIII-1969	R	1-X-1969		3	D,Res
Poland		13-II-1996	A	1-IX-1996		4	Res
Portugal	5-VII-1971	27-XII-1973	R	25-II-1974		2	D
Romania		21-VIII-2003	A	1-IV-2004		2	D
Russian Federation		1-V-2001	A	1-XII-2001		4	D,Res
Serbia		2-VII-2010	A	1-II-2011		2	D
Slovakia		15-III-1993	Su	1-I-1993		4	D
Slovenia		18-IX-2000	A	1-VI-2001		1	D,Res
Spain	21-X-1976	4-VI-1987	R	3-VIII-1987		3	D
Sri Lanka		31-VIII-2000	A	1-VI-2001		3	D
Sweden	4-II-1969	2-VIII-1969	R	1-X-1969		2	D
Switzerland	21-V-1985	2-XI-1994	R	1-I-1995		3	D,Res
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia		23-XII-2008	A	1-IX-2009		1	D,Res
Turkey	11-VI-1968	28-II-1972	R	28-IV-1972		3	Res,D
Ukraine		1-II-2001	A	1-XII-2001		3	D,Res
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	10-XII-1965	17-XI-1967	R	10-II-1969	14	4	D
United States of America	15-XI-1965	24-VIII-1967	R	10-II-1969	1	1	D
Venezuela		29-X-1993	A	1-VII-1994		1	D,Res
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Antigua and Barbuda			1-V-1985	Su	1-XI-1981		1	

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Armenia	27-VI-2012	A	1-II-2013		
Bahamas	17-VI-1997	A	1-II-1998	1	
Barbados	10-II-1969	A	1-X-1969	1	
Belize	8-IX-2009	A	1-V-2010		
Botswana	10-II-1969	A	1-IX-1969	3	D
Kuwait	8-V-2002	A	1-XII-2002	3	D,Res
Malawi	24-IV-1972	A	1-XII-1972	1	
Pakistan	7-XII-1988	A	1-VIII-1989	3	D
Republic of Moldova	4-VII-2012	A	1-II-2013	1	D,Res
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	6-I-2005	Su	27-X-1979	3	D
San Marino	15-IV-2002	A	1-XI-2002	3	D
Seychelles	18-XI-1980	A	1-VII-1981	1	D

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